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SUBJECT: ROC FIGHTER AIRCRAFT REQUIREMENTS

REF: TAIPEI 8069

JOINT STATE/DEFENSE MESSAGE

1. IT IS NOT TIMELY TO DISCUSS F-16 PROCUREMENT WITH
REPUBLIC OF CHINA. YOU SHOULD INFORM GROC THAT THE
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE IS NOW REVIEWING F-16 PRODUCTION
SCHEDULE IN LIGHT OF BOTH EUROPEAN AND USAF PROGRAM

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REQUIREMENTS; THEREFORE, NO ESTIMATE OF THE AVAILABILITY

OF F-16 AIRCRAFT FOR FOREIGN MILITARY SALES CAN BE
PROVIDED AT THIS TIME.

2. REGARDING PROPOSAL TO COPRODUCE AN ADDITIONAL 80 F-5
AIRCRAFT, YOU MAY SAY THAT DEPARTMENTS OF STATE/DEFENSE ARE
CONSIDERING REQUEST AND YOU WILL BE INFORMED WHEN FINAL
USG DETERMINATION HAS BEEN MADE. INGERSOLL

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